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in re Application of:

Eric A. Schon et al.

Group Art Unit:

1646

Serial No.:

10/655,999

Examiner:

Unknown

Filed: For:

September 5, 2003 Docket No.

5199-23

METHODS FOR XENOTOPIC EXPRESSION OF NUCLEUS-ENCODED PLANT AND PROTIST PEPTIDES AND USES

THEREOF

October 25, 2004

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Applicants are in receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated January 5, 2004 (copy enclosed), and hereby request a five (5) month extension of time for filing a response. A Petition for Revival of a Nonprovisional Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally is being filed concurrently at the following address: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. A copy of the Petition for Revival is attached hereto.

In response to the notification that the oath or declaration is missing, applicants enclose Declaration and Power of Attorney documents executed by the inventors Eric A. Schon and Joseline Ojaimi.

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applicant's Deposit Account No. 02-4270. Authorization is also given to charge any additional fees that may be required or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 02-4270.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that the application is complete.

Respectfully submitted,

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✓ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month		
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month		
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month		
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1002 350 2002 175 Design filing fee	1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal		
1003 550 2003 275 Plant filing fee	1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1004 790 2004 395 Reissue filing fee	1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing		
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1453	1,370	2453	685	Petition to revive - unintentional		
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Claims -3" - Multiple Dependent		130	1460		Petitions to the Commissioner		
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1201 88 2201 44 Independent claims in excess of 3	1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
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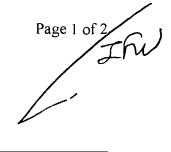
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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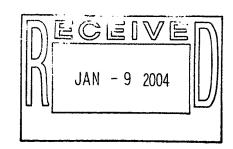
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